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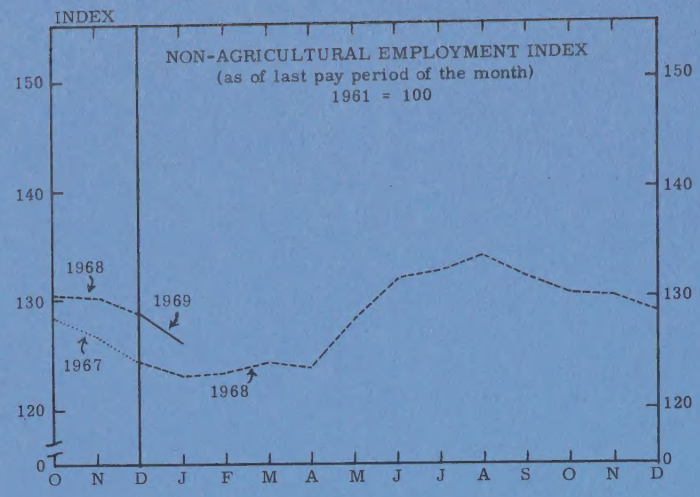
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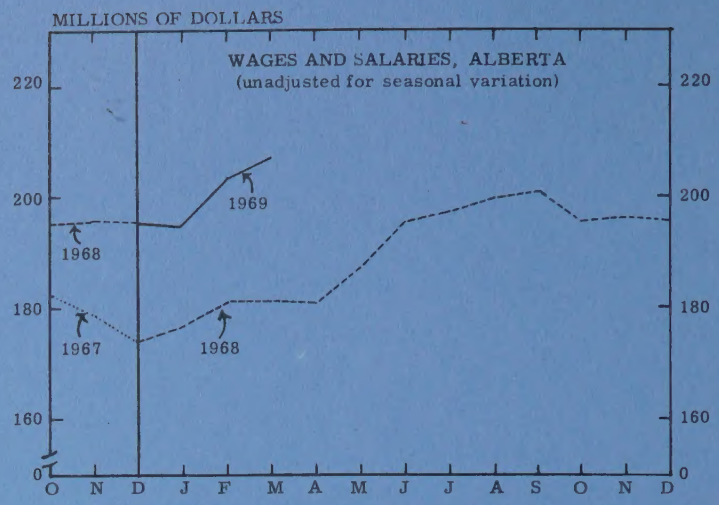
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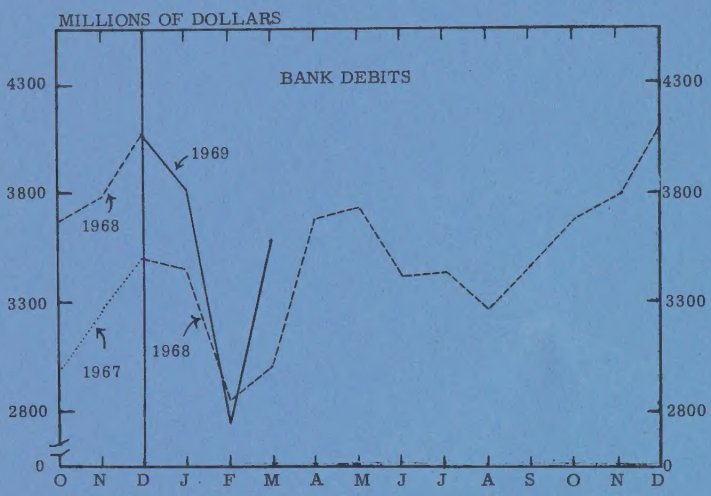
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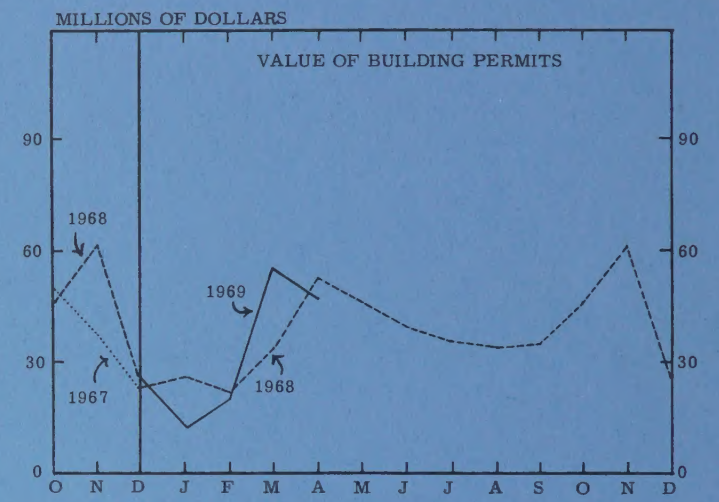
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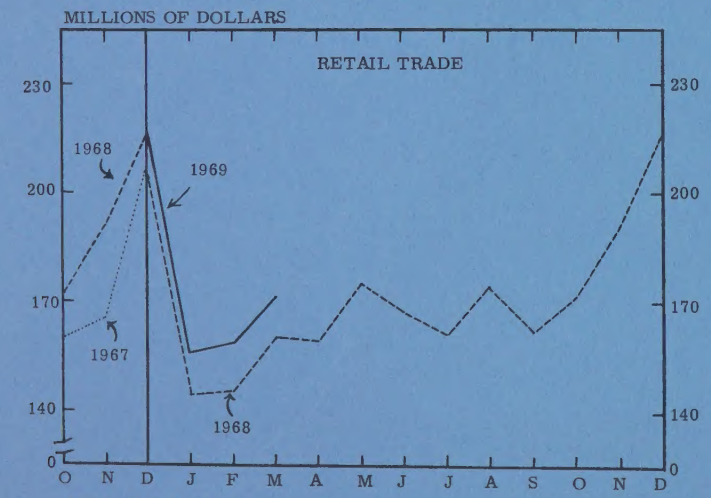
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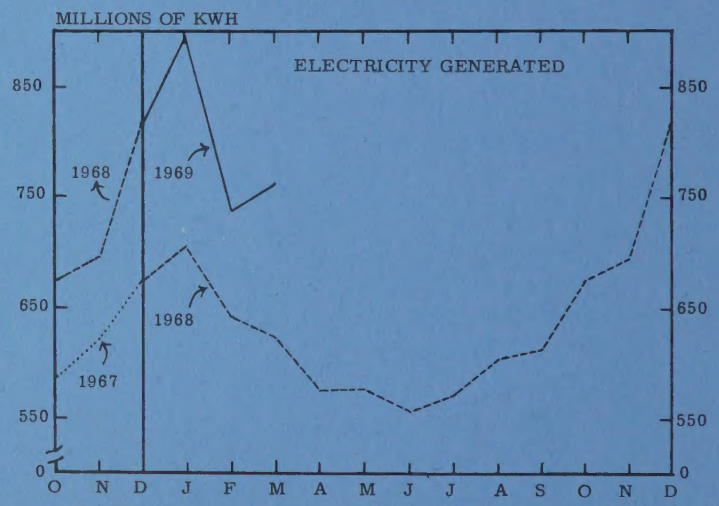
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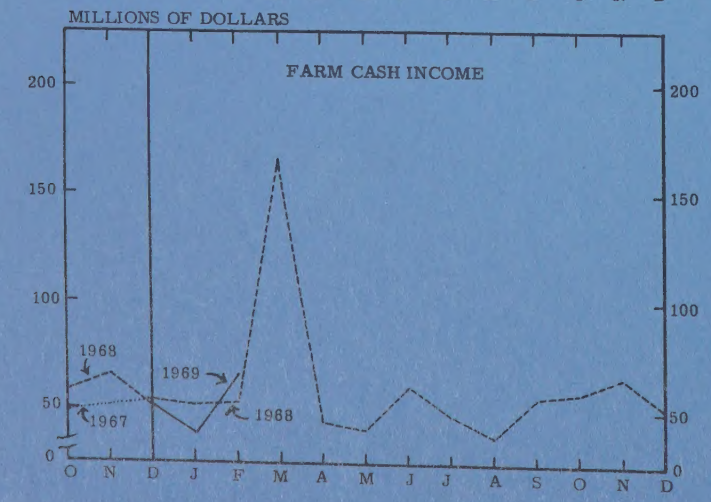
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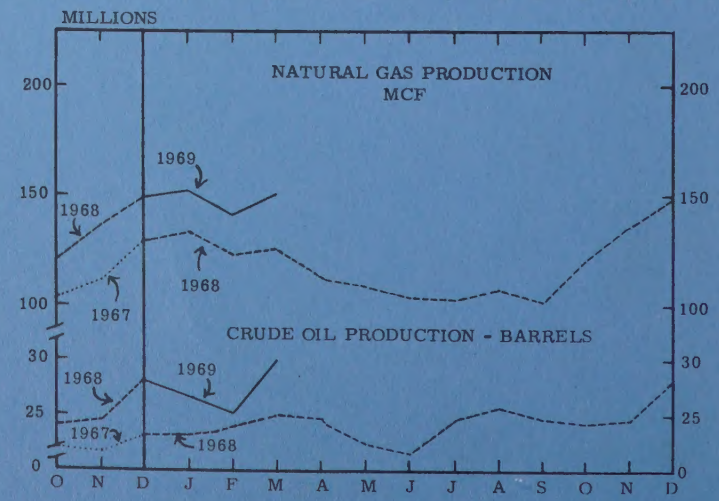
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ALBERTA FARMERS' CASH INCOME* FROM MAJOR SOURCES

LATEST MONTHS 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

Farmers' Cash Income From:		1968 (Jan. - Mar.)	1969 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Grain Sales	$	169,204,000	69,724,000	-58.8	25,284,000	26,497,000	4.8
Livestock Marketings	$	88,351,000	88,429,000	0.1	35,559,000	35,702,000	0.4
Poultry Products Sales	$	2,556,000	3,299,000	29.1	980,000	1,319,000	34.6
		1968 (Jan. - Feb.)	1969 (Jan. - Feb.)	2 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (February)	1969 (February)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Dairy Products Sales	$	6,193,000	5,998,000	- 3.2	3,064,000	2,895,000	- 5.5

* Compiled in Statistics Branch, Economics Division, Alberta Department of Agriculture.
For detailed supporting data please correspond directly with the Statistics Branch officials.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES ALLIED TO AGRICULTURE

Compiled by Alberta Bureau of Statistics, Department of Industry and Tourism

APRIL AND FOUR MONTH PERIOD ENDING APRIL 30, 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

		1968 (Jan. - Apr.)	1969 (Jan. - Apr.)	4 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (April)	1969 (April)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Flour Mills (7 Firms)							
Production	Centals	2,160,564	1,752,382	-18.9	504,153	377,080	-25.2
All mill products shipped	Value $	12,291,897*	10,264,639	-16.5	2,882,141	2,274,204	-21.1
Creamery Butter (1)							
Production	lbs.	8,343,254	7,426,252	-11.0	2,632,539	2,347,508	-10.8
	Value $	5,402,257	4,808,498	-11.0	1,704,569	1,520,011	-10.8
Cheddar Cheese (1)							
Production	lbs.	1,054,413	659,920	-37.4	313,288	221,842	-29.2
	Value $	474,486	296,965	-37.4	140,980	99,829	-29.2
Packing Plants							
Gross Sales	$	119,857,903	124,668,898	4.0	28,130,229	30,709,506	9.2
Production	Meat lbs.	261,160,243	234,661,184	-10.1	60,366,006	54,733,542	- 9.3
	Value $	91,910,171	93,403,801	1.6	21,099,054	22,575,897	7.0
Exports	Meat lbs.	161,774,511	143,637,288	-11.2	36,984,535	32,043,935	-13.4
	Value $	61,389,868	60,573,645	- 1.3	14,050,114	14,299,895	1.8
Margarine Sales							
	lbs.	5,212,839	5,020,616	- 3.7	1,182,339	1,101,896	- 6.8
	Value $	1,433,813	1,345,591	- 6.2	342,494	297,257	-13.2

(1) Source: Dairy Branch, Alberta Department of Agriculture

MINERALS AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES - ALBERTA

LATEST MONTHS 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

			1968 (Jan. - Apr.)	1969 (Jan. - Apr.)	4 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (April)	1969 (April)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Coal (1)	Production	Tons	1,306,741	1,614,914	23.6	330,310	351,519	6.4
		Value $	4,367,047	4,918,092	12.6	1,006,311	993,615	- 1.3
Salt	Production	Tons	45,059	48,895	8.5	10,839	18,457	70.3
Cement	Production	Tons	195,595	168,554	-13.8	64,047	73,774	15.2
		Value $	2,795,477	2,409,007	-13.8	915,253	1,054,340	15.2
Lime	Production	Tons	18,472	22,559	22.1	4,663	5,809	24.6
		Value $	289,324+	350,855	21.3	73,595	90,555	23.0

			1968 (Jan. - Mar.)	1969 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
Petroleum Products Refined (2)								
	Production	Barrels	7,422,219	9,466,785+	27.5	2,667,534	3,525,757*	32.2
	Imports	Barrels	297,608	342,456	15.1	96,024	128,472	33.8
	Exports	Barrels	1,967,723	1,615,472	-17.8	685,259	505,073	-26.3
Crude Oil (3)								
Condensate, Pentanes Plus								
	Production	Barrels	72,955,026	81,767,500	12.1	25,507,666	29,958,399	17.5
	Value to Producer	$	184,289,837	207,831,460	12.8	64,721,874	76,132,126	17.6
	Sales and Exports	Barrels	71,852,624	80,892,636	12.6	24,857,489	29,036,700	16.8
Natural Gas (3)								
	Production	M.C.F.	381,367,926	444,232,071	16.5	125,323,927	151,238,372	20.7
	Sales and Exports	M.C.F.	299,149,577	348,594,987	16.5	95,147,793	116,263,104	22.2
	Value of Sales	$	45,487,895	53,424,558	17.5	14,741,473	17,837,119	21.0
Propane (3)								
	Production (Gas Plants)	Barrels	3,776,054	4,172,405	10.5	1,248,886	1,482,650	18.7
	Imports	Barrels	10,854	8,651	-20.3	2,464	2,722	10.5
	Sales	Barrels	4,023,809	5,256,397	30.6	1,107,435	1,410,439	27.4
		Value $	6,396,187	5,490,812	-14.2	1,901,598	1,932,889	1.7
Butane (3)								
	Production (Gas Plants)	Barrels	2,585,647	2,567,772	- 0.7	844,805	862,203	2.1
	Imports	Barrels	1,514	11,267	644.2	1,514	2,547	68.2
	Sales	Barrels	2,694,515	2,437,684	- 9.5	852,541	770,586	- 9.6
		Value $	3,727,915	3,082,194	-17.3	1,152,439	1,009,210	-12.4
Sulphur (3)								
	Production	Long Tons	706,439	877,183	24.2	273,134	315,281	15.4
	Sales	Long Tons	528,650	589,631	11.5	164,234	181,636	10.6
		Value $	18,358,662	18,179,711	- 1.0	5,308,588	5,159,210	- 2.8

(1) Source: Mines Division, Department of Mines and Minerals, Alberta.

(2) Source: Fuel Oil Tax Branch, Department of Provincial Secretary, Alberta.

(3) Source: Oil and Gas Conservation Board.

(*) Composed of 1,698,541 barrels gasoline; 937,548 barrels diesel fuel; 175,970 barrels kerosene; 713,698 barrels other fuel and miscellaneous products.

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GENERAL STATISTICS - ALBERTA LATEST MONTHS AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN PREVIOUS YEARS

		1968 (Jan. - Mar.)	1969 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
				%			%
Wages and Salaries (Labour Income unadjusted for seasonal variation) (1)		538,900,000	607,600,000	12.7	181,600,000	207,100,000	14.0
Bank Debits (2)							
Calgary	Value $	5,046,891,000	5,415,198,000	7.3	1,667,586,000	1,947,441,000	16.8
Edmonton	Value $	3,953,012,000	4,383,745,000	10.9	1,238,042,000	1,519,423,000	22.7
Lethbridge	Value $	239,155,000	265,664,000	11.1	85,178,000	91,120,000	7.0
Medicine Hat	Value $	91,509,000	102,374,000	11.9	30,659,000	34,597,000	12.8
TOTAL	Value $	9,330,567,000	10,166,981,000	9.0	3,021,465,000	3,592,581,000	18.9
Pulpwood Production (3)	Cunits	51,799	89,403	72.6	23,650	44,066	86.3
New Motor Vehicles (4)	No.	18,095	19,296	6.6	7,171	7,902	10.2
	Value $	66,090,000	72,747,000	10.1	26,449,000	29,782,000	12.6
Electricity - Net Generated (5)	K.W. Hrs.	1,971,718,000	2,393,759,000	21.4	621,919,000	760,942,000	22.4
Life Insurance Sales (Ordinary) (6)	$	154,604,000	176,772,000	14.3	54,543,000	68,874,000	26.3
Manufacturing Shipments (7)	Value $	358,233,000	373,230,000*	4.2	128,071,000	130,130,000	1.6
		1968 (Jan. - Apr.)	1969 (Jan. - Apr.)	4 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (April)	1969 (April)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
				%			%
Forestry (Crown Lands)							
Production - Lumber	Ft. B. M.	186,709,000	232,000,000	24.3	22,352,000	45,000,000	101.3
	Value $	10,736,000	13,340,000	24.3	1,285,000	2,588,000	101.4
Total Value of Lumber and Other Forestry Products	$	12,708,000	16,282,000*	28.1	1,688,000	3,344,000	98.1
	$						
		1968 (Jan. - May)	1969 (Jan. - May)	5 Months Inc. or (-) Dec.	1968 (May)	1969 (May)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec.
				%			%
Fur (Wild Life) - Pelts	No.	604,636	410,756	-32.1	83,679	57,759	-31.0
	Value $	978,993	1,113,114	13.7	348,599	393,622	12.9
Visitors to National Parks							
Banff	No.	577,446	597,714	3.5	155,105	175,492	13.1
Elk Island	No.	57,922	61,392	6.0	34,063	35,706	4.8
Jasper	No.	92,852	150,596	62.2	37,077	59,863	61.5
Waterton Lakes	No.	46,617	56,235	20.6	43,158	48,528	12.4
TOTAL	No.	774,837	865,937	11.8	269,403	319,589	18.6

Fisheries Production for three months 1969, totalled 2,229,295 lbs. valued at $511,001 as compared with 2,124,003 lbs., valued at $521,187 in 1968.

GENERAL CONSUMER PRICE INDEX AND COMPONENT ITEMS (8)
FOR CALGARY - EDMONTON (1961 = 100)

	General C.P.I.	Food	Housing	Clothing	Transportation	Health: Personal Care	Recreation: Reading	Tobacco: Alcohol
April 1967	110.3	114.1	105.8	115.8	106.1	119.0	110.9	109.1
April 1968	115.6	118.2	110.2	120.9	112.0	127.6	119.7	114.2
March 1969	119.6	123.0	114.1	123.8	117.4	131.8	124.6	114.3
April 1969	120.3	124.5	114.3	124.0	117.1	135.9	124.7	114.3

(1) Source: Estimates of Labour Income, March, 1969, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(2) Source: Cheques Cashed in Clearing Centres, Vol. 46, No. 3, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(3) Source: Pulpwood and Wood Residue Statistics, Vol. 12, No. 3, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(4) Source: New Motor Vehicle Sales, Vol. 41, No. 3. Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(5) Source: Electric Power Statistics, Vol. 37, No. 3. Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(6) Source: Life Insurance Agency Management Association, Hartford, Conn.
(7) Source: Inventories, Shipments and Orders in Manufacturing Industries, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
(8) Source: "Prices and Price Indexes", April, 1969, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.
( ) Revised.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL TRADE - TRENDS - ALBERTA

LATEST MONTHS, 1969 AS COMPARED WITH CORRESPONDING PERIODS IN 1968

WHOLESALE TRADE (1) -	1968 (Jan. - Apr.)	1969 (Jan. - Apr.)	4 Months Inc or (-) Dec. %	1968 (April)	1969 (April	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
BY TYPES:						
Amusement and Sporting Goods	2,213,000	2,481,000	12.1	632,000	707,000	11.9
Auto Supplies and Equipment	15,871,000	18,123,000	14.2	2,336,000	2,887,000	23.6
Chemicals, Drugs and Allied Products	14,635,000	16,015,000	9.4	3,563,000	4,150,000	16.5
Dry Goods, and Apparel	4,768,000	4,810,000	0.9	1,167,000	1,308,000	12.1
Electric Goods (Household & Industrial)	36,714,000	41,657,000	13.5	8,374,000	10,446,000	24.7
Farm Products (Raw Materials)	717,000	719,000	0.3	246,000	224,000	- 8.9
Farm Supplies	748,000	761,000	1.7	198,000	309,000	56.1
Tobacco	14,026,000	15,791,000	12.6	3,893,000	4,114,000	5.7
Furniture and House Furnishings	9,706,000	10,409,000	7.2	2,512,000	2,569,000	2.3
Groceries and Meats	108,755,000	118,984,000	9.4	27,990,000	31,222,000	11.5
Hardware	13,319,000	13,107,000	- 1.6	3,766,000	3,756,000	- 0.3
Building Materials (Excluding lumber)	11,334,000	12,387,000	9.3	3,147,000	3,606,000	14.6
Lumber and Millwork	12,713,000	14,850,000	16.8	2,928,000	3,505,000	19.7
Machinery, Equipment and Supplies (Commercial and Construction	6,763,000	8,536,000	26.2	1,392,000	2,477,000	77.9
Machinery and Equipment (Farm)	26,739,000	28,692,000	7.3	7,186,000	6,508,000	- 9.4
Machinery, Equipment and Supplies (Industrial)	15,697,000	16,593,000	5.7	3,309,000	3,189,000	- 3.6
Professional Service, Transportation Equipment and Supplies	8,149,000	8,670,000	6.4	1,757,000	1,952,000	11.1
Metals and Metal Work	9,506,000	10,546,000	10.9	2,269,000	2,558,000	12.7
Paper and Paper Products	6,147,000	6,612,000	7.5	1,525,000	1,783,000	16.9
Petroleum and Petroleum Products	58,868,000	71,076,000	20.7	14,978,000	18,202,000	21.5
Plumbing and Heating Equipment and Supplies	15,025,000	16,000,000	6.5	3,913,000	4,503,000	15.1
Miscellaneous	4,577,000	4,971,000	8.6	940,000	1,096,000	16.6
TOTAL	396,992,000*	441,791,000*	11.3	98,021,000	111,071,000	13.3
BY LOCATIONS:						
Calgary	133,651,000	147,238,000	10.2	33,582,000	37,444,000	11.5
Edmonton	162,568,000	174,510,000	7.3	39,729,000	44,540,000	12.1
Lethbridge	10,631,000	11,149,000	4.9	2,849,000	3,109,000	9.1
Medicine Hat	3,388,000	3,391,000	0.1	894,000	910,000	1.8
Red Deer	5,556,000	6,169,000	11.0	1,287,000	1,403,000	9.0
Smaller Centres	10,559,000	11,597,000	9.8	2,665,000	2,938,000	10.2
No Area Breakdown	70,639,000	87,737,000	24.2	17,015,000	20,727,000	21.8
TOTAL	396,992,000	441,791,000	11.3	98,021,000	111,071,000	13.3

RETAIL TRADE (2) -	1968 (Jan. - Mar.)	1969 (Jan. - Mar.)	3 Months Inc. or (-) Dec. %	1968 (March)	1969 (March)	1 Month Inc. or (-) Dec. %
TOTAL RETAIL TRADE:	447,891,000	486,524,000	8.6	159,841,000*	172,280,000	7.8
Grocery and Combination Stores	82,839,000	88,466,000	6.8	29,081,000	29,756,000	2.3
All other Food stores	7,949,000	8,913,000	12.1	2,987,000	3,228,000	8.1
Department Stores	51,740,000	58,083,000	12.3	20,068,000	21,944,000	9.3
General Merchandise Stores	12,657,000	13,564,000	7.2	4,673,000	5,018,000	7.4
General Stores	21,450,000	23,337,000	8.8	6,945,000	7,346,000	5.8
Variety Stores	4,077,000	4,494,000	10.2	1,419,000	1,527,000	7.6
Motor Vehicle Dealers	100,353,000	106,033,000	5.7	38,667,000	40,963,000	5.9
Service Stations and Garages	43,537,000	48,769,000	12.0	14,577,000	15,828,000	8.6
Men's Clothing Stores	5,648,000	5,994,000	6.1	1,720,000	1,934,000	12.5
Women's Clothing Stores	6,306,000	6,937,000	10.0	2,630,000	2,933,000	11.5
Family Clothing Stores	3,916,000	3,753,000	- 4.2	1,257,000	1,234,000	- 1.8
Shoe Stores	3,547,000	4,120,000	16.2	1,456,000	1,686,000	15.8
Hardware Stores	7,299,000	6,964,000	- 4.6	2,541,000	2,309,000	- 9.1
Furniture, T.V., Radio and Appliance Stores	12,144,000	12,572,000	3.5	3,686,000	4,211,000	14.2
Fuel Dealers	2,118,000	2,581,000	21.9	385,000	563,000	46.2
Drug Stores	15,173,000	15,634,000	3.0	4,682,000	4,926,000	5.2
Jewellery Stores	3,738,000	3,859,000	3.2	1,282,000	1,411,000	10.1
All Other Stores	63,400,000	72,451,000	14.3	21,784,000	25,463,000	16.9

(1) The figures may be considered as more indicative of trends of business in the various lines and for the various locations than of total volume of wholesale business.

(2) Source: Retail Trade, Vol. 41, No. 3, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

(*) Any slight differences between the totals and their components are due to the rounding of the figures.

NUMBER AND VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL AND NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING PERMITS - ALBERTA - MARCH 1968 AND 1969

	No. of Permits Issued (April) 1968	1969	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional and Government	Total Value (April) 1968	1969	Cumulative (Jan. - Apr.) 1968	1969
	No.	No.	$'000	$'000	$'000	$'000	$'000	$'000	$'000	$'000
CENSUS DIVISION 1	58	79	494	-	76	-	348	570	1,773	1,047
Medicine Hat	51	74	479	-	71	-	323	549	1,705	760
CENSUS DIVISION 2	91	168	1,157	491	963	1,219	811	3,831	3,950	5,764
Lethbridge	63	114	889	275	159	1,219	596	2,543	2,661	4,110
CENSUS DIVISION 3	10	28	318	-	12	-	93	330	369	511
CENSUS DIVISION 4	13	5	33	-	2	-	253	35	253	50
CENSUS DIVISION 5	11	16	38	-	34	-	366	72	512	542
Drumheller	3	7	7	-	1	-	2	8	17	463
CENSUS DIVISION 6	843	1,085	15,718	217	2,095	2,371	17,529	20,401	58,472	65,893
Calgary	797	1,034	15,212	217	1,975	2,371	17,056	19,775	57,412	64,613
CENSUS DIVISION 7	29	27	147	-	48	-	262	195	804	462
CENSUS DIVISION 8	97	69	691	-	432	-	1,419	1,123	3,366	2,556
Red Deer	56	31	376	-	402	-	1,055	778	2,689	1,864
CENSUS DIVISION 9	10	28	89	8	22	-	267	119	391	427
CENSUS DIVISION 10	54	57	471	1	729	210	953	1,411	1,918	1,749
Camrose	22	24	271	-	99	43	705	413	1,147	612
Lloydminster	9	14	79	-	530	-	61	609	212	663
CENSUS DIVISION 11	1,035	1,050	13,346	44	4,619	391	27,796	18,400	58,052	52,985
Edmonton	836	846	11,059	29	2,924	381	23,676	14,393	51,799	42,880
Wetaskiwin	18	15	64	-	-	-	166	64	199	291
CENSUS DIVISION 12	35	32	174	-	94	7	326	275	788	886
CENSUS DIVISION 13	33	33	164	32	5	-	286	200	468	358
CENSUS DIVISION 14	18	25	149	-	80	-	133	229	221	418
CENSUS DIVISION 15	71	46	383	-	86	222	2,021	691	3,511	1,843
Grande Prairie	17	16	131	-	-	16	664	147	1,380	170
Total April	2,408	2,748	33,371	794	9,297	4,419	52,863	47,882		
January - April 1969		6,052	74,493	2,349	40,622	18,025		135,491		135,491
January - April 1968	6,404*		63,471	2,144	37,016	32,217	134,848		134,848	

Any slight differences between the totals and their components are due to the rounding of the figures.

AVERAGE HOURS AND EARNINGS OF HOURLY-RATED WAGE EARNERS IN SPECIFIED INDUSTRIES, AT DATES INDICATED, ALBERTA

	Average Hours Last Pay Period of		Average Hourly Earnings Last Pay Period of		Average Weekly Wages Last Pay Period of		Wage Earners Reported
	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	January 1969
	No.	No.	$	$	$	$	No.
ALBERTA:							
Mining, Including Milling	42.3	42.5	3.32	3.60	140.43	153.11	7,847
Service Incidental to Mining	43.5	43.4	3.44	3.73	149.85	161.61	5,165
Manufacturing	39.2	38.4	2.54	2.73	99.39	104.87	27,544
Durable Goods	39.5	38.1	2.51	2.71	99.14	103.36	13,854
Non-durable Goods	38.8	38.6	2.56	2.75	99.62	106.40	13,690
Foods and Beverages	38.4	37.8	2.57	2.77	98.90	104.89	7,159
Construction	40.5	36.9	3.08	3.47	124.68	127.86	14,960
Building	35.5	35.0	3.12	3.50	110.85	122.35	10,108
Engineering	50.1	40.8	3.01	3.42	150.90	139.33	4,852
Other Industries							
Hotels and Restaurants	32.4	31.9	1.61	1.70	52.21	54.29	9,437
EDMONTON:							
Manufacturing	39.6	38.8	2.49	2.74	98.72	106.36	11,550
Construction	38.5	37.6	3.25	3.62	124.97	136.30	6,142
CALGARY:							
Manufacturing	38.5	38.1	2.66	2.83	102.22	108.07	7,888
Construction	35.4	33.2	3.22	3.43	113.95	113.94	4,565

Source: Man-Hours and Hourly Earnings, January, 1969, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

QUARTERLY ESTIMATES OF POPULATION FOR ALBERTA FROM JUNE 1, 1966 to APRIL 1, 1969
(thousands)

Census June 1, 1966	Estimates June 1, 1967	June 1, 1968	April 1, 1967	April 1, 1968	July 1, 1968	October 1, 1968	January 1, 1969	April 1, 1969
1,463	1,490	1,526	1,483	1,520	1,529	1,538	1,547	1,553

Source: Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

EMPLOYMENT AND AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES AND SALARIES, AT DATES INDICATED, BY INDUSTRIES

	Index Number (1961 = 100) Last Pay Period of		Average Weekly Wages and Salaries Last Pay Period of		Employees Reported Last Pay Period of
	Jan. 1968	Jan. 1969	Jan. 1968 $	Jan. 1969 $	Jan. 1969 No.
ALBERTA:					
Mining	123.1	133.0	158.84	169.92	20,312
Petroleum and Gas Wells	133.4	138.9	169.45	180.95	11,776
Services Incidental to Mining	116.8	137.0	149.80	161.40	7,251
Manufacturing	119.0	121.1	108.37	115.45	42,369
Foods and Beverages	100.0	98.4	104.37	111.06	11,413
Meat Processing	108.8	103.8	120.94	126.84	4,217
Wood Products	149.6	135.2	90.08	89.59	3,940
Printing, Publishing and Allied Industries	112.6	118.7	108.06	114.57	2,139
Metal Fabricating Industries	127.8	130.6	111.97	126.30	3,998
Transportation Equipment	118.7	144.9	106.07	108.24	2,842
Non-metallic Mineral Products	94.4	97.1	112.56	118.99	2,861
Chemicals and Chemical Products	123.4	127.1	132.77	148.57	2,495
Construction	117.9	109.5	128.71	136.29	19,001
Building	125.9	121.0	116.03	131.54	12,592
Engineering	105.7	92.3	151.76	145.61	6,409
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	111.7	111.0	116.13	126.43	42,253
Transportation	100.6	100.4	119.02	129.81	23,095
Communication	139.1	137.2	109.78	119.24	11,587
Electric Power, Gas and Water	113.5	117.0	128.27	138.73	5,327
Trade	123.6	128.6	83.03	92.80	50,799
Wholesale	119.5	124.0	102.11	117.60	19,649
Retail	126.5	131.7	70.75	77.16	31,150
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	134.6	139.9	94.65	103.41	14,801
Service	162.7	172.2	73.54	75.95	27,870
Personal Services	148.9	153.2	57.38	60.69	14,369
Hotels and Restaurants	153.2	158.9	56.09	59.81	11,949
Industrial Composite	123.4	126.0	105.26	113.35	218,643
EDMONTON:					
Manufacturing	116.4	117.8	108.36	116.86	17,652
Durable Goods	125.9	128.9	113.25	121.65	6,955
Non-durable Goods	111.1	111.6	105.28	113.75	10,697
Construction	115.6	121.1	128.76	141.09	7,685
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	138.3	140.9	115.84	127.49	12,449
Trade	121.9	128.6	81.18	90.89	22,118
Wholesale	121.9	129.6	102.13	117.26	8,084
Retail	121.9	128.1	69.42	75.70	14,034
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	138.6	146.2	97.34	106.95	4,889
Service	173.4	183.5	67.84	73.38	11,332
Industrial Composite	128.6	134.3	98.19	107.62	77,948
CALGARY:					
Manufacturing	118.7	117.7	112.67	118.58	13,166
Durable Goods	136.8	142.8	111.23	115.21	6,172
Non-Durable Goods	107.3	101.9	113.83	121.57	6,994
Construction	139.8	136.2	122.03	130.32	5,963
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	115.6	112.4	111.62	120.65	9,422
Trade	129.8	131.0	85.56	96.18	18,306
Wholesale	120.3	123.6	108.12	123.90	7,208
Retail	136.7	136.2	71.13	78.17	11,098
Finance, Insurance & Real Estate	144.5	149.2	94.11	103.36	5,204
Service	161.8	181.8	68.45	71.81	11,227
Industrial Composite	132.1	134.8	102.63	110.24	68,896

Source: Employment and Average Weekly Wages and Salaries, January, 1969. Prepared in the Employment Section of the Labour and Prices Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics, Ottawa.

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA
(in thousands)

	Population 14 years of age and over			Labour Force					Not in Labour Force	Participation Rate	Unemployment Rate
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Employed	Unemployed			
March, 1967	970	493	477	571	384	187	556	15	399	58.9%	2.6%
March, 1968	1,003	509	494	579	395	184	555	24	424	57.7%	4.1%
February, 1969	1,033	524	509	612	409	203	591	21	421	59.2%	3.4%
March, 1969	1,035	525	510	603	408	195	581	22	432	58.3%	3.6%

Source: Special Surveys Division, Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

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